

KNEW NONE BY THAT NAME

Massachusetts Postmaster Misunderstood Inquiry Made by a Prospective Tourist.

A certain well-known New York banker was preparing to take an automobile tour on the north shore of Massachusetts. His objective point being the quaint fishing village of Gloucester, it occurred to him that it would be wise to find out in advance if that place afforded a garage where his touring car could be sheltered when not in use and repaired when necessary.

To that end the banker wrote to the postmaster, courteously asking for the desired information. What was his surprise a few days later when the card he had inclosed in his letter of inquiry came back with this written thereon:

"I find in our city directory that no one of the name of Garage gets mail at this office. The nearest to it is a family of the name of Gam-mage, living on the Neck road."

"Postmaster."

The banker courteously sent a second note thanking the postmaster for his information.

IN GOOD COMPANY.



The Turnip—Old Cauliflower must be on his good behavior, he hasn't been drunk for some time.

The Carrot—Yes, he swore off and is living with the watermelons.

THE IRONY OF YOUTH

The party of adults going fishing did not want any children among them, and the little ones who had an inkling of the project were satisfied as to the falsity of their suspicions of the real nature of the trip. But little Jackie, on his father's return, spied a basket in which lay a forgotten solitary fish. Immediately he began to howl and would not be comforted.

"Oh, oh, oh!" he bawled. "To think my mother lied to me!"—Baltimore American.

BLASTED HOPES.

"Don't you know that when you start the new year off by getting drunk, as you did yesterday, you'll be drunk every day in the year?" sternly catechized the judge, addressing the bedraggled hobo; "drunk every day! I'll give you six months' sentence!"

"I don't see how I'll be drunk every day o' th' year," muttered the disappointed hero, "if y' send me up fr six months!"—Illustrated Sunday Magazine.

HE EXPLAINED.

Answering a charge of cruelty, in court, a Billville citizen said:

"I never killed the mule until the mule come nigh killin' me. I sometimes kills rattlesnakes for their rattles; an' I ketches an' sells mockin' birds fer their songs. But that's all!"—Atlanta Constitution.

HOW HE TOOK IT.

"Every bit of food on this table," said the serving lady to Lamson, as he sat down to eat at the church supper, "was cooked by your wife!"

"Oh, I don't mind," rejoined Lamson, faintly; "I'm not a bit hungry, anyway!"

AN ADAGE DISPUTED.

"Politeness costs nothing," said the man of ready-made wisdom.

"I guess," answered Mr. Cumrox, "that you never had any experiences with these cafe waiters who regulate their politeness by the size of the tip."

WHAT IT MEANS.

"I'd like a riference, ma'am," said the cook, who had been requested to resign.

"You mean," replied Mrs. Hiram Offen, "you'd like a letter in which there should be no reference to anything."

ELECTION RETURNS

THE AUDITORIUM

will give full Returns of the Election on Tuesday Night. Each dispatch will be read as it is received. You can come and enjoy Skating and at the same time hear all about the Election.

Don't Forget the Masquerade, To-Night

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LOUDENSLAGER PREDICTS

That Republicans Will Make Gains in Next Congress.

New York, Oct. 3.—Representative Henry C. Loudenslager, secretary of the national Republican congressional committee, gave out his estimates of the complexion of the national house of representatives in the Sixty-first congress.

"From the several thousand letters received," said Mr. Loudenslager, "and from personal interviews with politicians and other observers from all sections of the country, I am convinced that a conservative estimate of the political complexion of the next house is that it will show 227 Republicans and 164 Democrats."

"I am confident that the election results will give an increase in the number of Republicans rather than a decrease. This campaign has been a strange one in many respects, unusual conditions have existed in different sections, and while there will be some changes, the net result will in my judgment be as stated."

Rear Admiral Cowden Retires. Washington, Oct. 3.—Rear Admiral Alfred Reynolds Cowden was placed on the retired list of the navy today, his sixty-second birthday. He will probably continue as president of the special board of ordnance of the navy. He has held many important commands in American and foreign waters, and as chief of the Indian Head proving grounds did much to develop the American high-powered naval gun.

Italian Hanged For Murder. Reading, Pa., Oct. 3.—Salvatore Garrito, an Italian, was executed here for the murder of Timothy Kelleher of Pittsburg, a member of the state police, Kelleher was stabbed to death in attempting to rescue a young woman who was attacked by Garrito and another Italian on the outskirts of this city. Garrito's companion is serving a 12-year sentence for his part in the crime.

CONTRACTOR CONFESSES

His Part in Attempt to Bribe Member of Ruff Jury.

San Francisco, Oct. 3.—Standing in the shadow of the penitentiary with sentence about to be passed upon him and having seen his beautiful young wife just led from the courtroom hysterically crying "no, no," E. A. S. Blake, the contractor convicted of attempting to bribe John M. Kelly to qualify on the jury to try Abraham Ruef and vote for Ruef's acquittal, made a full confession in court. He told how, after he was arrested, Frank J. Murphy, Ruef's associate counsel, came to him and promised him \$10,000 if he would keep quiet, the amount in notes signed by Ruef being delivered to a third party, to be paid to Blake immediately after he was sentenced. Besides this amount, Blake declared that his wife was to receive \$100 a month while he was in the penitentiary.

Insure Against Hungry Mobs. London, Oct. 3.—Terrorized by recent riots of England's unemployed thousands and by threats of still more serious disorders as the weather grows colder, shopkeepers in the large English, Welsh and Scotch towns are insuring heavily from losses at the hands of the mobs. The present premium is from \$1.25 to \$2.50 on every \$500 worth of insurance, according to locality.

Mad Steer Runs Amuck. Atlanta, Ga., Oct. 3.—A mad steer ran amuck in the business section of Atlanta, and before the steer was caught, at the risk of life and limb, two persons were injured and others fled to places of safety, some being forced to climb telephone poles. In one of his furious rushes at pedestrians the right horn of the steer was torn from his head.

COLORED COLUMN

Fourteen thousand Afro-Americans are employed in the different Federal services.

D. R. Taylor has recently added a \$900 stock of shoes, dry-goods and furnishings to his grocery, coal and meat market business, thus making a regular department store.

The Good-Time Club will give a banquet on the night of November 3, at the Hippodrome. W. H. Allen is Chairman of the Committee on management.

Five thousand Afro-Americans have gone to England to live in the past few years.

The members of Clark's Chapel, M. E. Church are again agitating the proposition of disposing of their present church property and purchasing a lot and building elsewhere.

John Drenen died last Sunday night.

Prof. E. S. Taylor is building a house on Third street. His wife who is teaching in the country, visited him last Sunday.

Mrs. Anna Wallace, mother of Silas Rucker, of this city, died at Nicholasville last week at the age of one hundred years. She was the mother of 16 children, 17 grand children, 11 great, great grand children and 2 great great great grand children.

Arrangements is being perfected to celebrate the emancipation proclamation, Christmas, by the Broadway Baptist Church.

Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Cowan's company from Lexington has returned home.

Wm. Rucker is building a cottage in Poynterville.

Mayor Jas. F. Grinstead presided at the dedication of the new \$35,000 colored library building at Louisville, Thursday.

R. B. Woodford has been appointed by the Trustees to work in Southwestern Kentucky in the interest of the new college.

Mrs. Mary Smith, of Louisville, is visiting her niece, Mrs. W. W. Banks, on West Broadway.

Rev. Jno. Fisher, pastor of First Baptist Church, reports a great meeting, three confessions and five otherwise. He is being assisted by Rev. Boon M. Johnson, of Lexington.

"Jack" Taylor (Garner) bought and re-sold two horses court day.

Jno. Judy, of Paris, visited his daughter, Mrs. M. M. Beel, this week.

Rev. H. C. Baker, who is pastoring the Baptist Church at Berea, recently had a rally in which \$307 was realized. He has just closed a series of meeting with eighteen additions.

The annual report of Rev. H. A. Steward before the Conference at Carlisle, was one of the best in the history of Allen's Chapel.

Rev. T. Timberlake spoke in the Opera House at Clay City Tuesday night.

Rev. and Mrs. H. D. Colerane visited friends in Cincinnati last Sunday.

O. W. Bates is repairing his beautiful home on corner of Washington and Elm streets.

Mrs. Birl Turner was hostess at an elegant dinner given to a few friends Monday.

Miss Ethel Curry went to Chicago Wednesday to live.

Mrs. A. M. Colerane, of Lexington, is visiting her brother, Rev. H. D. Colerane on Second street.

Mrs. Anna Smock (nee Johnson), of Chicago, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Henrietta Wills.

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Mrs. Dan Graetz entertained a house party from Childsburg last week.

Dennis Daniel well be initiated into the Shoe-Shones at Lexington next week.

Wm. January has purchased a lot on South Highland street preparatory to building.

Hon. H. P. Slaughter, of Washington, D. C., was in the city, Wednesday on political business.

Rev. J. Saunders has just completed a nice little Methodist Church at Clay City.

A Halloween Masquerade will be the special feature at the Rink to-night.

Rev. Jno. Brock is engaged in a series of meetings.

Rev. T. Timberlake recently declined three invitations to conduct revivals, one to deliver an educational address and one to campaign through the State of Ohio.

Thirty-nine dollars and ninety cents was realized by the supper given by Clark's Chapel M. E. Church.

The Winchester football team was defeated at Richmond Thursday 23 to 0. The local boys claim irregularity.

Revs. H. A. Steward and T. Timberlake were recipients of "Church Stoms" this week.

Mrs. Jas. Bell is visiting her sister in Dayton, O.

Lewis McBane from the country, who was operated on recently is sick at Brent's Hotel.

The following will be the services at Clark's Chapel M. E. Church, Sunday.

Sunday school from 9:30 to 10:30 a. m. J. H. HARRIS, Supt.

Preaching at 11:00 a. m. Subject—"Aims of Christ."

Communion at 3:00 p. m. preaching from text "We must Keep the Feast."

Evening: 7:00 to 7:30. Song and prayer services. 7:30 preaching from subject—"Completeness in Christ." All are welcome, seats free.

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